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JUDGE R. S. TAYLOR**STARTS FOR HOME**

Distinguished Lawyer Left
Boston at 1 O'clock This
Afternoon.

Judge Robert S. Taylor is homeward bound.

The distinguished Fort Wayne lawyer, who left this city early in December to attend to important legal matters at Boston, was taken critically ill there with nervous prostration following a severe cold, hovered for weeks between life and death.



at his hotel in that city, is again able to travel.

Judge Taylor left Boston at 1 o'clock this afternoon for Fort Wayne and unless there should be unexpected delays, he should arrive at home at 11:20 o'clock Saturday morning. Mrs. Taylor is with him.

During the past few days Judge Taylor was able to complete the work for which he made the trip eastward, though he has been carefully avoiding overtaxing his strength.

The patient has made encouraging progress toward recovery and there had been a gratifying recovery from the heart weakness which characterized his illness at its most critical period. It will be a source of genuine gratification to Judge Taylor's numerous friends to see him home once more.

**POWDER MILL TAKES
OFF THREE EMPLOYEES**

Lafin and Rand Works Near
Cherokee, Kas., Caused
Deadly Havoc.

Cherokee, Kas., Feb. 27.—The Press mill of the Lafin & Rand Powder company's plant at Turck, eight miles south of here, exploded today, killing three men and injuring fifteen others; three of them fatally.

The dead:
Sanford Reed.
Lee Patterson.
Unknown man.

Fatally hurt:
Leon Kyle.
Jerome Cornell.

The explosion is the fourth since the establishment of the works in 1889.

ABOUT THE COURT HOUSE.

A peculiar document was filed with the auditor today, addressed to the county commissioners. It was signed by 481 residents of the Sixth ward and revoked the appointment of any agent or attorney-in-fact to sign their names to any remonstrance under the act of March 11, 1895 (Nicholson law). The signers further withdrew from any remonstrance they had signed personally or through an agent or attorney, and thirdly withdrew from any remonstrance which hereafter might be presented bearing their names signed by an agent or attorney.

The case of Fletcher vs. the city, for damages in the sum of \$500, has been set for trial March 23. This, with the setting for trial of several minor cases, constituted the business of the superior court today.

The circuit court has been called upon to decide the allotments of the Garman ditch, the interested parties having appealed from the decision of the surveyor.

Emma Reiter has been accepted as an inmate of the feeble minded school and will be removed there tomorrow morning.

The case of Catherine Lakey vs. Harry P. Kennerk, administrator, is on trial before Judge O'Rourke. The action is based on a claim of Catherine Lakey against the estate of Salina Kennerk, deceased.

Julia Fay Randall sues John W. Brown on a note for \$250.

Dixie M. Burton has commenced action against Joseph Burton on statutory grounds.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. John Vought, of Abbot township, a son. Mr. Vought was formerly a traction company employee.

**FORCES CLOSE IN
A FINAL STRUGGLE**

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ocrat, Georgia), rising to a question of the highest privilege, sent to the clerk's desk and had read the following resolution:

"Whereas, It appears from the congressional record of February 26, 1903, that by actual count and announcement by the speaker pro tempore a quorum was not present when the resolutions were voted upon declaring that James Butler was not elected and that George C. R. Wagoner was duly elected a representative in the Fifty-seventh congress from the Twelfth Missouri district, and that the point of no quorum was duly raised upon the vote on each of said resolutions, and that the same in each instance was overruled by the speaker pro tem, in violation of the constitution, the rules of the house, and the practice of all parliamentary bodies.

"Resolved, That the announcement by the speaker pro tem that said resolutions were adopted was in fact untrue and that the said James J. Butler is still entitled to his seat in this house, and that the said George C. R. Wagoner is not entitled to the same."

Mr. Payne, the majority leader, was recognized, despite the protests of Mr. Fleming that he could not be taken off the floor and he moved to lay the resolution on the table. The democrats forced a roll call on the motion. The motion prevailed 161 to 107.

ENFORCING ALL RULES.

Mr. Cannon (republican, Illinois) then asked unanimous consent to disagree to the senate amendments to the sundry civil appropriation and send the bill to conference. Reserving the right to object, Mr. Richardson asked if under the republican rules of the republican house the bill did not go to the committee on appropriations.

"All the rules of this republican house have been and are being sacredly enforced," replied the speaker. "All I ask is the enforcement of the rules," said Mr. Richardson. "I demand the regular order."

"The gentleman from Tennessee objects," announced the speaker, who immediately recognized Mr. Dalzell, who presented the two rules agreed to by the rules committee this morning to expedite appropriation bills and to continue the legislative day of yesterday until March 4.

DEMOCRATS JEER.

As the terms of the rules were read at the clerk's desk the democrats jeered. When the confusion subsided Mr. Dalzell, speaking in support of the necessity for the rules, called attention to the refusal of the minority to allow the sundry civil appropriation bill to go to conference, a request, he said, that had never before been refused in the history of the house.

He pointed out that congress would adjourn next week and the supply bills must be passed or an extra session would be necessary. Yesterday, he said, there were eight roll calls, today there had been four without the house being able to accomplish anything. Amid democratic jeers and republican applause he characterized the course of the minority as a "childish proceeding." He said there were twenty-nine bills with senate amendments on the speaker's table. A single roll call on each bill would consume fourteen and a half hours or three legislative days. Upon the three appropriation bills there were in all 277 senate amendments, which could be used to consume 138 hours or twenty-seven legislative days. If the supply bills were passed before adjournment he declared it was absolutely necessary to adopt the special rule. He called the attention of the house to the fact that the rule applied only to appropriation bills.

DEMOCRATS REPLY.

Mr. Dalzell then yielded twenty minutes to Mr. Richardson, the minority leader, who in turn yielded to several of his colleagues on the democratic side.

Mr. Underwood (Alabama) taunted the republicans with being obliged

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to make the humiliating confession that they were unable to "do business" under the Reed rules.

IN THE SENATE.

Washington, Feb. 27.—At the opening of the session of the senate today Mr. Blackburn (Kentucky) announced that he would object to all requests for unanimous consent until the senate shall have an opportunity to say whether or not it wants to consider the Littlefield anti-trust bill.

The naval appropriation bill was taken up.

An amendment was also agreed to appropriating \$5,000 for the erection of a monument in Arlington cemetery, Virginia, to the memory of Captain Charles Vernon Gridley, of the U. S. S. Olympia.

Mr. Foraker offered an amendment which was agreed to providing for plans for the erection of a monument at Vicksburg military park to the memory of the gunboat flotilla operating in western waters during the civil war.

The bill then was passed.

On motion of Mr. Warren the military academy appropriation bill was taken up. The amendment providing for the appointment of a cadet from Porto Rico occasioned some debate as to whether or not the commissioner from Porto Rico should have the authority to appoint the cadet.

At 1 o'clock the statehood bill was laid before the senate. It was laid aside, however, and consideration of the military academy appropriation bill continued.

The bill then passed.

The conference report on the Alaskan bill was agreed to. Mr. Hoar called up the conference report on the bill to protect the president of the United States. Mr. Blackburn pressed the Littlefield anti-trust bill and demanded a vote on the question.

Mr. Quay asked to be excused from voting on the Littlefield bill because he owned stock in corporations which he said he supposed would be treated as trusts.

The senate refused to take up the Littlefield anti-trust bill, 28 to 38.

At 1:45 p. m., on motion of Mr. Cullom, the senate went into executive session.

NON-UNION MEN ASSAULTED.

Waterbury, Conn., Feb. 27.—The non-union motorman and conductor of a street car on the Waterville line were assaulted by unknown men late last night. The motorman, named Morrisette, had his skull fractured and may die. The conductor, whose name is Lamont, received injuries less serious. According to the conductor's story, the car was boarded at a switch outside the city by six men, four of whom wore masks. They placed revolvers at the heads of the railroad employees and ordered them off the car. The men complied and as they did so were set upon and given a terrible beating. Morrisette was knocked insensible and laid across the track. The conductor fought his assailants stubbornly and finally made his escape and notified the police, who are investigating the affair. There were no passengers on the car at the time of the assault.

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LOCOMOTOR ATAXIA

is more to be dreaded than any other disease, because of the fact that no one is so stealthily that it attracts little attention, and its end so full of agony and pain that it beggars description. The first slight, wandering pangs are as a rule set down to rheumatism or neuralgia. The way little nervous symptoms, such as irritability, excitability, derangement of vision, shakiness, trembling and unsteadiness in walking are laid to a temporary nervous depression, and no particular attention paid to them until the pain becomes severe—the limbs drag—the gait lurching or staggering, together with an inability to walk or stand in the dark, walk backwards or with the eyes shut, then only does the victim realize the true state of affairs and begin the battle for life—a battle that was always against the sufferer until the advent of the Dr. A. W. Chase Nerve Pills, with their power to cure the dread disease, by going to the root of the trouble, enriching the blood, rebuilding the softened tissues and resupplying Nerve Force. It is the possession of these three great qualities that makes it possible to assert with all confidence that if faithfully and intelligently used, the Dr. A. W. Chase's Nerve Pills are a positive cure for Locomotor Ataxia at any and all stages of the trouble.

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AND \$6.98 VELVET WAISTS.**

Beautiful New Silk Waists at special prices, \$3.98, \$5.00 and \$5.98.
New Walking Skirts for tomorrow's selling, exceptional values, at \$2.75, \$3.75 and \$4.75.
25 doz. Ladies' \$1.50 Black Mercantile Petticoats at \$1.00; wonderful values at \$1.50 and \$1.98.
Another lot of those 75c value Straight Front Bias Gored Corsets at 50c.

BIG HOSIERY SALE.

Ladies' 25c Fancy Hose at 15c a pair.
50c Fancy Lisle Hose at 25c.
Men's Wayne Knit Fancy Socks at 12 1/2c a pair.
UNDERWEAR BARGAINS.
Ladies' 25c Fleece-lined Vests and Pants at 19c.
Ladies' 50c value Union Suits, 35c.

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The Fort Wayne Sentinel

BY E. A. K. HACKETT.

FRIDAY, FEB. 27, 1903.

TONIGHT.

Unions—Plumbers No. 166; Federal Labor union No. 6620; Waist Factory Employees No. 8766.
Miscellaneous—Sion S. Bass and General Lawton posts, G. A. R.; S. W. Strik circle, Ladies of the G. A. R.; lecture on Jerusalem by Miss Ben-Oliel at First Baptist church.

Fraternal—Summit City No. 170; F. and A. M.; Fort camp No. 758, Royal Neighbors; Elks; Concordia No. 41, D. of R.; Royal Templars; Pathfinders; Mad Anthony tent No. 95, K. O. T. M.; Maumee No. 50, A. O. U. W.; Ben Hur court No. 15; Modern Samaritans of the World; Court Keelona No. 1539, Order of Foresters; Summit City division, U. R. K. P.

Masonic Temple—Tonight — "The Two Schools."
Saturday matinee and night—"The Katzenjammer Kids."

From obstructionist Quay has turned humorist and continues to move a vote on the corpse of the staidhood bill.

That man will not risk his money who bets that hereafter justices of peace and constables will hew to the line of the law and make sure while they are hewing just where the line is.

Venezuela now complains of the condition in which her warship was returned by the Germans. Reflection upon what happened to the balance of her navy ought to convince Venezuela that recovery of anything that will float is a great deal to be thankful for.

John Wesley, the father of Methodism, died leaving a few thousand Methodists in the world. The two hundredth anniversary of his birth was celebrated yesterday, over seven million Methodists in almost every habitable part of the globe taking part actively or in spirit. Verily, may it be said of John Wesley that he is not dead.

Admiral Taylor expresses himself delighted with his reception at the Indiana capital. That is much to say. His glory seems to have been near a snuffing out altogether by the brilliancy of the governor's staff. The game of gold braid is one in which the kunnels and majahs of an executive's military staff hold cards and spades. However, we are glad the admiral so ably held his own.

The straight path may be the narrower, but it has no pitfalls in it. The man who treads it may now and then bruise his feet, but he will not break his legs or his neck. The man who pursues any other highway never knows where he is going to wind up. Vide the list of indictments returned by the late grand jury, which will prove the wisdom of a whole lot of moral reflections

which are doubtless current in this community at the present writing.

The remaining days of this present session of congress promises to be of extraordinary interest, particularly in the house, where the democrats have settled upon a general plan of obstruction of all measures in case the unseating of a democratic member from Missouri is peralated in. To overcome this the republicans have devised two special rules that provide for the taking from the table of all appropriation bills with senate amendments and the taking of the question without intervening motion or debate. Another rule continues the legislative day of Thursday until March 4, during which a motion to take a recess will be a privileged motion, taking precedence over a motion to adjourn. If all this does not breed a strenuous state of affairs and call out the parliamentary genius of both sides, as well as some grosser talents of statesmanship, congress is not what it used to be when Tom Reed was cracking heads with the gavel.

**PROTEST AGAINST
SEATING OF SMOOT****A Resolution Offered in the
Pennsylvania House of
Representatives.**

Harrisburg, Pa., Feb. 27.—A resolution protesting against the seating of United States Senator-elect Reed Smoot, of Utah, was offered in the house today by Representative Flynn, but when Mr. McWhinney moved that it be referred to the federal relations committee, the resolution was withdrawn by Mr. Flynn, who said it would again be offered on Monday night, when there was a full attendance. The resolution is as follows:

"Whereas, It has been published in the public press that Reed Smoot, the senator-elect from Utah, is a disciple of the Mormon church and is guilty of the practice of polygamy, or plural marriages, and

"Whereas, Such practice being contrary to law and a disgrace to our civilization, and

"Whereas, Mr. Roberts, who was elected from the same state, was denied a seat in the congress of the United States for this same reason, therefore, be it

"Resolved, That we, the representatives of the people of Pennsylvania, do enter an earnest protest against the seating of the said senator-elect from Utah, and be it further

"Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be sent to our United States senators from Pennsylvania, and that they be urged to use every honorable effort to prevent the seating of the said Reed Smoot in the United States senate."

WHAT HIS WIFE SAYS.

"My wife says, 'nothing will do but Chamberlain's Cough Remedy,'" says H. W. Dockham, publisher of the Gazette, Lindsay, Cal. There is many another good wife of the same opinion. The quick relief which this remedy affords in cases of coughs, colds and croup, and the fact that it is pleasant and safe to take makes it a favorite everywhere. For sale by all druggists.

ABOUT THE CITY HALL.

At the regular meeting of the board of works last evening a petition asking for a brick walk on the east side of Thompson avenue and the south side of Guthrie street, and one asking for a cement sidewalk on the north side of Wall street from Garden street to the terminus of the present sidewalk were received and filed. Plans and specifications were ordered for a sidewalk on the north side of Superior street west of Fairfield avenue.

A building permit was issued today to the Kehoe Boat and Motor company for the erection of a shop on Lake avenue to cost \$2,000. The building will be of wood.

MEETING AGAIN POSTPONED.

Chairman Figel, of the special gas committee, had issued a call for a meeting to be held tonight, but at noon notified The Sentinel that it had been declared off. He stated that he is having great difficulty in arranging to secure the presence of Manager Paul when he calls a meeting. Today Mr. Paul informed him that he had been called to Columbia City to be present at an important lawsuit. Mr. Figel has not decided when he will make the next call.

The amount of German capital invested abroad is said to be over \$8,000,000,000.

**WRESTED WEAPON
FROM ASSAILANT****Aged Negro Tells of Assault on
Former Employer—The
Police Grist.**

Thursday "Dad" William Warfield bounced a fourteen-ounce hammer off the head of James Chandler, another colored gentleman, and presently both were run in. They put up \$15 each for their appearance this morning, Warfield responding, but Chandler failed to put in an appearance. Chandler runs a shine parlor on Calhoun street, at the corner of Montgomery, and Daddy Warfield, who is sixty-three years old, worked for him from December 18 to February 25, when he quit, and Thursday went to the shop and demanded a settlement, presenting his account. Chandler took the account, but refused to pay and would not return the account. Warfield grew insistent, whereupon Chandler picked up a hammer and struck at the old gentleman, hitting him on the hand and bruising it some. Warfield grabbed the hammer and wrested it from Chandler; then delivered him a stunning blow on the forehead, cutting a jagged gash several inches long. The arrests followed.

When asked to plead to the charge of assault and battery the old gentleman said: "Dunno. He struck me first lick an' I guess he got wot wuz a-comin' to him."

"Did you hit him?"
"I sutt'nly did, sah, but I didn't done hit him quite had 'nuff."

"What did you hit him with?"

"I done hit him wid de same weepin' he hit me wid, but I wahn't quite able to git him down. I see sixty-three year ole an' he am a pow'ful young man, an' he done roll me some. I jess want to tell yo' de whole mattah an' I won't lie; I'd rudder lay on jail fo' a month en lie to yo'."

I set in wid Jim Chandler on de a'teenth o' Decembar an' done work fer him till day fo' yisterday, de twenty-feeth. Den yisterday mornin' I goes in to de shop en I sez, 'Jim, I see done quit en I'd laik t' hev my money,' en Jim sez he guessed he didn't owe me nuthin'."

en I sez, 'Jim, hyar's my 'count,' en he talks it. 'Nen Jim sez, sez he, 'I guess I won't pay this,' en I sez, 'Nen gi' me my 'count back.' Ith that Jim he retches fer th' hammer en strikes at me, en I grabs his hand so, and talks th' hammer 'way fr'm him and w' my left han' I hit him on de furred, en I wisht I cud a-hit him jess a leetle harder—but I see gittin' ole," said the old man, rather mournfully.

"Did you cut him?"

"He sutt'nly did bleed a heap," said daddy, nodding his head reflectively.

James Chandler was then called three times, and not responding, the judge declared his bond forfeited, and then turning to Daddy Warfield, said: "Under the circumstances I find you not guilty. You may go."

"Yais," said daddy, "but I done put up fifteen dolla's, too. Do I git dat back?" The sally provoked laughter, which even wrinkled the face of the judge. Daddy got his money back, and then turning to the judge, said:

"Jedge, I wisht you'd jess keep that paper an' make Jim settle, en I guess dis co't kin do it ef ennybody kin." It was explained that the municipal court did not collect debts, whereupon the old man expressed keen regret and bowed himself out.

WELL DRESSED VAGRANT.

August Gagan, a well dressed fellow, was slated for vagrancy. He had taken possession of a room at St. Joseph hospital and refused to move until the officers came with the wagon and took him to the station. He was not drunk, and is not crazy, but he has a few broken cogs somewhere in his mental machinery. He says he worked at the Randall hotel for a while, had come here from Wooster, Ohio, a couple months ago and he couldn't see how he could be made out a vagrant. Asked why he went to the hospital he said he wasn't feeling well. The judge said he would continue the case until March 4, and fixed the bond at \$100. "Mean-while," said the judge, "Sheriff Stout will explain matters to you."

It is possible an inquiry into his mental condition may be instituted. Yesterday he went to the hospital and demanded a room—didn't ask for one, but demanded one. He was told he could not have one. He left the reception room and it was thought he had left the building, but he hadn't. He wandered through the halls until he got to a vacant room, which he entered. He carefully took off his clothes and hung them up and went to bed with his shoes on. He was discovered shortly and the wagon was sent for.

Walter Jeffries was up again on the same old charge—drunkenness. He pleaded not guilty and declared that he hadn't taken a drink yesterday. Officers Rohrer and Phipps both testified that he was quite drunk and had to be put out of the Commercial house. He was fined a dollar and costs which he begged the judge to suspend saying he was just about to brace up and make a man of himself.

Peer Jett had made the same promise so many times before that the proposed reformation was turned down and he went over.

Ed Sweeney was a plain drunk without side dishes or desert. He pleaded guilty and took 11 days without speaking a word.

CLAIMS HE WAS FLIMMED.

Andrew D. Carrington, employed in the Pennsylvania paint shop, claims a colored waiter employed at O'Brien's restaurant, corner of Walton avenue and the Pennsylvania road, flimflammed him out of \$9 last night. He says he went to the lunch counter and got a sandwich. He had in his hand when he paid a ten and a one-dollar bill. He handed the waiter a bill, thinking it was the smaller one and received 95 cents in change. Shortly after he discovered that he still had the dollar bill in his pocket and that he had given the waiter the ten-spot. He went back, but the waiter denied having seen anything that looked like a ten-dollar bill for a long while. He opened the cash drawer and showed Carrington the only bill in the drawer, which was a new one-dollar note. Carrington said neither of his bills were new and after he could not settle at the counter he reported the matter to the police.

POLICE NOTES.

Will A. Rundell reports the loss of a pocketbook containing about \$7.

The patrol wagon was called to 134 West Superior street last night to remove Joseph Dukat to Hope hospital.

A bad gas leak in the service pipe at the Hanna street school was reported by the police and the gas company was notified.

A stray bicycle was picked up last night at a late hour in front of the Hamilton bank where it had evidently been left by some absentminded rider.

A. L. Johns reports that his son found a roll of money which the owner can have by calling at 132 West Columbia street and proving property.

Sheriff John A. Verkerke of Grand Rapids arrived in the city last night to take charge of Ivan Coppens the runaway lad picked up the other evening at the south depot. He left for home with the lad on the morning train.

Smead, the proprietor of the feed-yard on Pearl street where the riot occurred last Sunday night reported that a fine set of single harness, nearly new had been stolen from his barn. He thinks that one of the rioters has taken this means of getting even.

GENERAL GORDON ILL.

Jackson, Miss., Feb. 27.—General J. B. Gordon, commander-in-chief of the United Confederate Veterans, who was taken violently ill on a Queen and Crescent train last night en route to this city, is reported to be very much better this morning. It is not thought that his condition is at all serious.

NO JOKE

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If Mark Twain should write a story about a person who weighed 90 pounds and increased her weight to 180 pounds (or double) in one year by quitting coffee and drinking Postum Coffee, everyone who read it would say, "There's a joke behind that somewhere."

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PREPARE TO MOVE TROOPS.

Omaha, Neb., Feb. 27.—Officers of the department of Missouri are beginning to arrange for the movement of troops to St. Louis to attend the ceremonies of the dedication of the Louisiana Purchase exposition, April 30. It is expected that troops from Forts Crook, Riley, Leavenworth and Jefferson barracks will be present. General Corbin, adjutant general of the army, will act as grand marshal of the civil and military parade, and it is expected that he will personally designate the troops which will be in the line of march.

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Mr. Roosevelt Lauds the Work
Done by Methodism for
the Nation.

GREAT CROWD HEARS HIM

Celebration at New York of
200th Anniversary of
Wesley's Birth.

New York, Feb. 27.—President Roosevelt was received with great enthusiasm last evening in Carnegie hall, where nearly 4,000 gathered to bear witness to the merits and fame of John Wesley in celebrating the two hundredth anniversary of his birth. The president made an address in which he pointed out the strength of Methodism, the early and fruitful labors of the disciples of its founder in America, and urged that their example should serve as an inspiration to the true patriot and citizen of this day.

The meeting was held under the auspices of the New York Thanks Offering commission of that church. The crush in the hall was great. At least 1,000 or more failed to gain entrance.

Large premiums were offered for boxes, but none could be induced to part with their seats.

IMPATIENT FOR PRESIDENT.

From the beginning it was seen the presence of President Roosevelt and his address were the magnets of attraction. There was a murmur of impatience at the nonarrival of the president and his party, who were scheduled at 8:15. Two minutes later a far-off cheer came into the hall, and within ten minutes more the president appeared. As he came to the front of the platform the entire audience arose and cheered, while all over the house handkerchiefs waved.

President Roosevelt stopped and bowed repeatedly and smiled. Behind the president sat his private secretary, William Loeb; Commander W. S. Cowles, U. S. N.; Dr. Bixey and ten men of the United States secret service, and some detectives. To the right and left behind the president the party made an impassable wall between him and the 200 or more persons seated on the platform.

The introduction was somewhat long, and in the course of it Mr. Bowne asserted that "Methodism made republicans and Christians."

THE PRESIDENT'S ADDRESS.

There was another outburst of cheering and fluttering of handkerchiefs when President Roosevelt stepped forward to speak, and during his address applause frequently punctuated the sentences. He said: "Mr. Chairman, Ladies and Gentlemen—I am glad to have the chance of addressing this representative body of the great church which Wesley founded on the occasion of the commemoration of the two hundredth anniversary of his birth. America, moreover, has a peculiar proprietary claim on Wesley's memory, for it is on our continent that the Methodist church has received its greatest development. In the days of our colonial life Methodism was not on the whole a great factor in the religious and social life of the people. The Congregationalists were supreme throughout most of New England, the Episcopalians on the seaboard from New York southward, while the Presbyterian congregations were most numerous along what was then the entire western frontier, and the Quaker, Catholic and Dutch Reformed churches each had developments in special places."

BEGINNING OF GROWTH.

"The great growth of the Methodist church, like the great growth of the Baptist church, began at about the time of the revolutionary war. Today my theme is purely Methodism. "Since the days of the revolution not only has the Methodist church increased greatly in the old communities of the thirteen original states, but it has played a peculiar and prominent part in the pioneer growth of our country, and has in consequence assumed a position of immense importance throughout the vast region west of the Alleghenies which has been added to our nation since the days when the continental congress first met."

"For a century after the Declaration of Independence the greatest work of our people, with the exception only of the work of self-preservation under Lincoln, was the work of the pioneers as they took possession of this continent. During that century we pushed westward from the Alleghenies to the Pacific, southward to the Gulf and the Rio Grande, and also took possession of Alaska."

WORK OF PIONEER.

"The work of advancing our boundary, of pushing the frontier across forest and desert and mountain chain, was the great typical work of our nation, and the men who did it—the frontiersmen, the pioneers, the backwoodsmen, plainmen, mountain men—formed a class by

themselves. It was an iron task, which none but men of iron soul and iron body could do. The men who carried it to a successful conclusion had characters strong alike for good and for evil. Their rugged natures made them powers who served light or darkness with fierce intensity, and together with heroic traits they had those evil and dreadful tendencies which are but too apt to be found in characters of heroic possibilities. "Such men make the most efficient servants of the Lord if their abundant vitality and energy are directed aright, and if misdirected their influence is equally potent against the cause of Christianity and true civilization. In the hard and cruel life of the border, with its grim struggle against the forbidding forces of wild nature and wilder men, there was much to pull the frontiersman down."

NEED OF RELIGION.

"If left to himself, without moral teaching and moral guidance, without any of the influences that tend toward the uplifting of man and the subduing of the brute within him, sad would have been his fate. From this we have been largely rescued by the fact that together with the rest of the pioneers went the pioneer preachers, and all honor be given to the Methodists for the great proportion of these pioneer preachers whom they furnished."

"These preachers were of the stamp of old Peter Cartwright—men who suffered and overcame every hardship in common with their flock, and who, in addition, tamed the wild and fierce spirits of their fellow pioneers. It was not a task that could have been accomplished by men desirous to live in the soft places of the earth and to walk easily on life's journey. They had to possess the spirit of the martyrs, but not of martyrs who could merely suffer, not of martyrs who could oppose only passive endurance to wrong."

ZEAL OF THE PIONEERS.

"The pioneer preachers warred against the forces of spiritual evil with the same fiery zeal and energy that they and their fellows showed in the conquest of the rugged continent. They had in them the heroic spirit, the spirit that scorns ease if it must be purchased by failure to do duty, the spirit that courts risk and a life of hard endeavor if the goal to be reached is really worth attaining. Great is our debt to these men and scant the patience we need to show toward their critics. At times they seemed hard and narrow to those whose training and surroundings had saved them from similar temptations, and they have been criticized as all men, whether missionaries, soldiers, explorers or frontier settlers, are criticised when they go forth to do the rough work that must inevitably be done by those who act as the first harbingers, the first heralds, of civilization in the world's dark places."

"It is easy for those who stay at home in comfort, who never have to see humanity in the raw, or to strive against the dreadful naked forces which appear clothed, hidden and subdued in civilized life—it is easy for such to criticize the men who, in rough fashion and amid grim surroundings, make ready the way for the higher life that is to come afterward, but let us all remember that the untempted and the effortless should be cautious in passing too heavy judgment upon their brethren who may show hardness, who may be guilty of shortcomings, but who nevertheless do the great deeds by which mankind advances. These pioneers of Methodism had the strong militant virtues which go to the accomplishment of such great deeds. Now and then they betrayed the shortcomings natural to men of their type, but their shortcomings seem small indeed when we place beside them the magnitude of the work they achieved."

DUTY OF DESCENDANTS.

"And now, friends, in celebrating the wonderful growth of Methodism, in rejoicing at the good it has done to the country and to mankind, I need hardly ask a body like this to remember that the greatness of the fathers becomes to the children a shameful thing if they use it only as an excuse for inaction, instead of as a spur to effort for noble aims. I speak to you not only as Methodists—I speak to you as American citizens. The pioneer days are over. We now all of us form parts of a great civilized nation, with a complex industrial and social life, and infinite possibilities both for good and for evil. The instrument with which, and the surroundings in which, we work have changed immeasurably from what they were in the days when the rough backwoods preachers ministered to the moral and spiritual needs of their rough backwoods congregations. But if we are to succeed, the spirit in which we do our work must be the same as the spirit in which they did theirs."

SENSE OF DUTY.

"These men drove forward and fought their way upward to success because their sense of duty was in their hearts, in the very marrow of their bones. It was not with them something to be considered as a mere adjunct to their theology, standing separate and apart from their daily life. They had it with them week days as well as Sundays. They did not divorce the spiritual from the secular. They did not have one kind of conscience for one side of their lives and another for another."

"Well, if we are to succeed as a nation we must have the same spirit in us. We must be absolutely practical, of course, and must face facts as they are. The pioneer preachers of Methodism could not have held their own for a fortnight if they had not shown an intense practicality of spirit, if they had not possessed the broadest and deepest sympathy for and understanding of their fellow men. But in addition to the hard, practical common sense needed by each of us in life, we must have a lift toward lofty things or we shall be lost, individually and collectively as a nation."

LIFE'S STERNNESS.

"Life is not easy, and least of all is it easy for either the man or the nation that aspires to do great deeds. In the century opening the play of the infinitely far-reaching forces and tendencies which go to make up our social system bids fair to be even fiercer in its activity than in the century which has just closed. If during this century the men of high and fine moral sense show themselves weaklings; if they possess only that cloistered virtue which shrinks shuddering from contact with the raw facts of actual life; if they dare not go down into the hurly-burly where the men of might contend for the mastery; if they stand aside from the pressure and conflict, then as surely as the sun rises and sets all of our great material progress, all the multiplication of the physical agencies which tend for our comfort and enjoyment will go for naught and our civilization will become a brutal sham and mockery."

STRENGTH IN VIRTUE.

"If we are to do as I believe we shall and will do, if we are to advance in broad humanity, in kindness, in the spirit of brotherhood, exactly as we advance in our conquest over the hidden forces of nature, it must be by developing strength, by breeding and training men who shall be both good and strong, both gentle and valiant—men who scorn wrongdoing and who at the same time have both the courage and the strength to strive mightily for the right."

"Wesley said he did not intend to leave all the good tunes to the service of the devil. He accomplished so much for mankind because he also refused to leave the stronger, manlier qualities to be availed of only in the interest of evil. The church he founded has throughout its career been a church for the poor as well as for the rich and has known no distinction of persons."

DEMOCRACY OF CHURCH.

"It has been a church whose members, if true to the teachings of its founder, have sought for no greater privilege than to spend and be spent in the interest of the higher life, who have prided themselves not on shrinking rough duty, but on undertaking it and carrying it to a successful conclusion."

"I come here tonight to greet you and to pay my tribute to your past because you have deserved well of mankind, because you have striven with strength and courage to bring nearer the day when peace and justice shall obtain among the peoples of the earth."

RETURNS TO WASHINGTON.

Washington, Feb. 27.—President Roosevelt and his party arrived here in their special train from New York over the Pennsylvania railroad at 7:20 o'clock this morning. The trip was without incident worthy of note.

The president alighted from his car as soon as the train had pulled into the station, and after shaking hands with the engineer and fireman of the locomotive, entered his carriage, which was in waiting. Accompanied by Captain Cowles, he was driven directly to the white house. He expressed himself as greatly pleased with the meeting in Carnegie hall last night, referring to it as a great and inspiring assemblage.

DR. DRAYER WAS WITNESS.

Dr. L. P. Drayer was one of the medical experts called by the defense in the damage suit of Skelly vs. Spohn, at Lagrange, in which Skelly demanded \$10,000 damages from Dr. Spohn, of Elkhart, for alleged improper use of the X-rays. Skelly was suffering from cancer, and he died at a hotel in Lagrange Wednesday evening, before the trial had been completed. Dr. Drayer was among those who examined Mr. Skelly on Tuesday. He expressed the opinion also that it was only a question of hours until the man would die. He said there was scarcely any pulse perceptible. Mr. Skelly's hands were cold and there was little sign of life.

The scratch of a pin may cause the loss of a limb or even death, when blood poisoning results from the injury. All danger of this may be avoided, however, by promptly applying Chamberlain's Pain Balm. It is an anti-septic and unequalled as a quick healing liniment for cuts, bruises and burns. For sale by all druggists.

Mrs. Alfred Grindle, who has been quite ill for several days, became worse yesterday and was taken to Hope hospital and an operation may be performed.

HE HAD ROBBED A FORT WAYNE MAN

Nervy Thief is Captured After
a Desperate Battle
at Peru.

Peru, Ind., Feb. 27.—Charles T. Clark, proprietor of the Clark hotel and lunch room at the union station here, had an exciting experience with a robber Wednesday night and he captured the thief after a hard struggle. Mr. Clark is advanced in years, yet he showed remarkable nerve and activity. He saw a man climbing down a ladder at the rear of his hotel, and he quietly proceeded to the bottom of the ladder, reaching it just in time. As the man placed his foot upon the ground Mr. Clark grabbed him by the coat.

The thief made an attempt to shed the garment and get away, but Mr. Clark grabbed him by the throat and a struggle ensued. The fellow fought like a tiger, striking the hotel man a number of times, but none of the blows landed where they could do serious injury.

George Clark, a son of the proprietor, heard the noise outside and hurried to his father's assistance. The two managed to capture the thief and take him into the hotel, where they bound his hands and feet and held him captive until the police arrived.

In the meantime Ferris McFoster,

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of Fort Wayne, peddler, arrived on the scene looking for a thief. As soon as his eyes rested on the prisoner he almost screamed: "Zat is 'im! Zat is 'im!" He made a lunge at the prisoner and would have slain him had not others forced him back. McFoster said that the prisoner had stolen nearly a hundred dollars' worth of dry goods from him while he was drinking a glass of beer in a saloon next to the hotel. The dry goods were found on the roof of the

saloon. It is thought that the prisoner, who gave his name to the police as Charles Russell, twenty-four years old, of Detroit, Mich., had taken the bundle to the roof and was returning when Clark captured him.

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Regular 50c Goods,
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Anything in our stock of
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MUFFS, ETC.
This Week 1-2 Price.

40 Pieces Extra Heavy
Twill Outing Cloth,
easily worth 10c a yard,
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12 Dozen Ladies'
Flannel Shirt Waists
Worth 75c, to clean them up
for the season,
This Week 25c Each.

40 Pieces yard wide Fine
Cretonne
Art Draperies
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The quantity of pork examined microscopically which was exported last year amounted to 33,681,229 pounds. The cost of this work per pound was one-third of a cent.

RUSSIA TO RELIEF OF FINLANDERS

Czar Gives Approval to Big Scheme of Public Works in Famine Land.

SPURRED BY AMERICANS

Dr. Klopsch Soon to Begin Tour of Famine District--Has Raised \$80,000.

St. Petersburg, Feb. 27.—The czar has personally intervened in behalf of the famine-stricken Finns and has ordered that extensive relief work be started without delay. Besides the immediate construction of the proposed Idensalmi-Kayana railroad, which will cost \$700,000, he has sanctioned the expenditure of \$300,000 on the Uleabork-Tornea line, voted by the senate, but hitherto unapproved, the raising of a \$2,000,000 loan for other railroad construction, the establishment of a bank with a capital of \$800,000, which sum is to be used in making loans to peasant farmers, and has approved an appropriation of \$140,000 for public works, principally the drainage of swamps. The Finns attribute the czar's action to the steps taken in America to relieve the distress existing in the grand duchy of Finland and to Ambassador McCormick's inquiries on the subject. It is believed that the proposed relief works will employ the majority of the able-bodied and that consequently the voluntary committees' responsibilities will be lightened and the necessities of the people will be satisfied without outside aid, which the Finns gratefully accepted, although they have never solicited it.

Louis Klopsch, of New York, says he will begin a tour of the famine district shortly. He adds that he has already forwarded \$30,000 of the American contributions to the relief committees and that he will deliver an additional \$20,000 at Helsingfors immediately. Mr. Klopsch also says the American fund totals \$80,000 and that he expects \$20,000 more.

Professor Abraham V. W. Jacobson, of Columbia college, New York, has arrived here.

A SHAKESPEAREAN READING.

John Rummell, of Buffalo, N. Y., who gave the fourth entertainment of the People's Lecture Course at the West Jefferson Street Church of Christ Tuesday evening, gave a monologue presentation of "Julius Caesar" at the church last night for the benefit of the senior class of the high school. Prof. Lane introduced him to a large audience. Mr. Rummell possesses a fine presence, a well-trained voice and a clean-cut enunciation and the art of reciting blank verse so as to bring out its full meaning and yet preserve the charm of the rhythm. His impersonations of twenty-three different characters in the play was clearly conceived and adequately sustained to the very end. There are many readers who select queer and grotesque characters and pass from one to the other with ease. But few readers attempt to delineate the characters of so many strong men. There were two scenes of the play that were especially artistic and his rendering of them was an especially vigorous and thrilling performance not soon to be forgotten by those fortunate enough to hear it. The scene in the garden of Brutus and Mark Antony's oration over Caesar's body revealed the genius of an artist. A number of critics, who have heard the best readers of the day, declared they had not seen the performance of Mr. Rummell last night. His accomplishment of the stupendous feat of accurately memorizing and adequately reciting whole plays occupying two hours in their rendition ranks him among the best artists of the day. Mr. Rummell made many friends during his stay in the city who will be sincerely glad to have him return. He left last evening for Louisville, Ky., where he has an engagement for this evening.

MULLIN'S CASE IS SETTLED.

President Angus, of the Detroit-American league team, and President Mautner, of the Fort Wayne base ball club, have come to an agreement over the Mullin case, and Angus paid over to the Fort Wayne man a sum covering the amount advanced Mullin at the beginning of last season. Mr. Mautner has been after Mullin for more than a year and the pitcher's escapes from officers would make an interesting little book. Mullin got tired of the hide-and-seek game and gave himself up a few weeks ago. He has a contract with the Detroit team for three years at \$3,500 a year, he claims, and he is spending a few weeks with his wife in Wabash.

WILL REMODEL SCHOOL.

Trustee Barney Bueter, of Adams township, has instructed Architect

Henry Meyer to make plans for remodeling the township school in order to add three rooms. The present building contains but three rooms and the accommodations are insufficient. The building will be remodeled as soon as school is dismissed for the summer.

POLO AT PRINCESS RINK.

The closing polo game of the season will be played at Princess rink Saturday night between the Princess team and the "Dubs." The members of the two teams are all Fort Wayne boys and they are able to put up a stiff game. The game will be called at 9 o'clock, and there will be roller skating before and after. Manager Eckert expects to have a berth in the new polo league to be formed this summer, and will remodel Princess rink if the plan materializes. The line-up of the two teams for tomorrow night's contest will be as follows:

Princess Position. Dubs
F. Dix 1st rush. R. McCarthy
H. Dix 2nd rush. G. Oppenheim
C. Smith cover. H. Piper
W. Baals 2nd rush. A. Baals
C. Miner center. E. McCarthy
Referee, Dave Eckert.

ELECTED OFFICERS.

The Brotherhood of Andrew and Philip of the First Presbyterian church held its annual meeting last evening and elected the following officers: President, Ralph Yarnelle; vice president, Jud Overmeyer; secretary, Mark Shoemaker; treasurer, Morgan Burrows; corresponding secretary, Herman Breidenstein; chairman of executive committee, Roy Tigar. Two classes for gymnasium instruction were formed, to be under the instruction of Harry Donovan and Jud Overmeyer, assisted by other members of the society. The brotherhood was formed a year ago with a membership of ten, which has increased until it is now over fifty.

WON'T HAVE A STEEPLE.

The building committee of Concordia Lutheran church has decided not to build a steeple on the new church building to be erected this summer. The steeple would cost about \$500 and it is proposed to use this sum on other and more necessary improvements. Concordia will be the first Lutheran church in Fort Wayne to do away with this feature of church architecture, which nearly every denomination has discarded as obsolete.

PLANS ARE ACCEPTED.

The Loganport school board has accepted the plans of Architect Alfred Grindle for the new Carnegie library in that city. The building will be of Bedford stone and fire-proof construction.

FORMER MERCHANT DEAD.

A. S. Hall, many years ago a shoe merchant in Fort Wayne, died Thursday at his home in Toledo. Mr. Hall was married to Priscilla Fairfield, a sister of the late Mrs. H. J. Ash, of this city.

CITY BREVITIES.

John S. Bowers, of Decatur, who has been making a business visit in the city, has returned home.

The subject of Rabbi Cohn's sermon this evening at the Hebrew temple will be "The Object of the Sanctuary."

J. W. Lawler, of Lincoln, Neb., has arrived in the city to take a position at the Western Gas Construction company's plant.

Mrs. Manning Smith, of East Wayne street, entertained a small company of friends last evening. She was assisted by her daughter, Mrs. William Lerch.

Mrs. John Riedmiller, of 1345 Taylor street, entertained a company of friends at a 6 o'clock course dinner last evening in honor of Miss Huebner, of Toledo, who is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Bittler.

The Modern American Fraternal Order gave the first of a series of progressive pedro parties in Vordermark hall last evening. The first prizes were won by Miss Emma Long and Jack Gaul and the consolations were awarded to Miss Mattie Smith, of Hicksville, and George Guenther. Musical numbers were given by Miss Carrie Braithwaite and Miss Blystone.

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SAY GERMANS SACKED THE RESTAURADOR

Venezuelans Claim Captured Warship Was Stripped Before Return.

New York, Feb. 27.—The Venezuelan authorities at Puerto Cabello, says the Caracas correspondent of the Herald, after receiving the warship Restaurador, which had been seized by the blockading powers, have made an official report regarding the transfer and the condition of the vessel. This report reads, in part:

"The Germans, before delivering the Restaurador, had sacked her in a ruinous manner. They carried off silverware, covers, curtains, electric light globes, kitchen utensils and even copper clasps from the ship's sides.

"The machinery was purposely left out of order. It was necessary to employ mechanical engineers for twenty-four hours to place the Restaurador in a condition fit to go to sea. The pillage of the ship was scandalous."

German officers declare that the charge of the Venezuelan authorities is false and assert that the ship was not robbed. On the contrary, they said that Germany had spent \$12,000 in repairing the Restaurador and

ANOTHER TON OF COAL



THIS SHAPED BOX—NO OTHER

had left 150 tons of coal on board of her without asking a cent.

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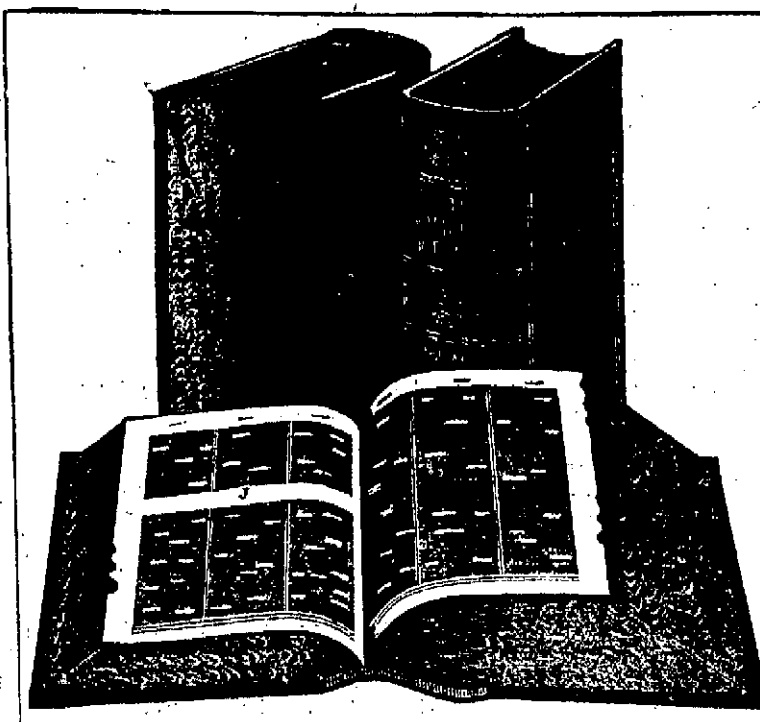
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Rt. Rev. Samuel Fallows, A.M., D.D. Late Professor-Elect of the University of Wisconsin; late Superintendent of Public Instruction of Wisconsin; ex-President of Illinois Wesleyan University; member of the Philosophical Society of Great Britain; author of "Synonyms and Antonyms," "Hand-book of Abbreviations," etc.

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SEASON-END CLEARANCE MEN'S CLOTHING.

Manufacturers with surplus stocks at this time of the year are even more anxious to get rid of them than merchants in the same predicament. The more sagacious makers permit no loss to stand in the way of unloading the goods. This explains how the chance came our way to recently scoop in about 1400 men's suits and overcoats on an average basis of 57 cents on the dollar. No other house would have dared to buy such a big lot of goods so late in the season. WE NOT ONLY DARED, but are willing to buy more of the same high-grade goods at the same price concession, because we know that there are enough men in Fort Wayne willing to buy high-grade clothing for scarcely more than half price to enable us to dispose of most any quantity—even this late.

Whatever deficiency may have existed in our assortments owing to the big inroads made by the continuous throngs of men coming this way LATELY, has been more than made up by the 1400 suits and overcoats with which we've just augmented our stock, indeed, assortments are now almost as complete and comprehensive as at the beginning of the season—mostly new and fresh goods, too, just from the hands of the makers. But what a vast difference there is in the prices:

Suits and Overcoats, worth \$ 7.50 and \$ 8.00, now go for only \$ 4.66.
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Suits and Overcoats, worth 13.50 and 15.00, now go for only 8.66.
Suits and Overcoats, worth 16.50 and 18.00, now go for only 10.66.
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MANKIND IN INDIANA.

FRANK J. SULLIVAN DIES IN ARIZONA

Was Formerly a Resident of
Fort Wayne—Other Mortu-
ary Matters.

David Raidy this morning re-
ceived from Chicago the first an-
nouncement of the death of Frank
J. Sullivan, which occurred at Tuc-
son, Arizona, on Monday of this
week. Mr. Sullivan was a son of the
late Michael Sullivan, and a former
resident of this city, but for the past
ten years he had resided in Chicago.
The remains will be brought to
Fort Wayne for interment, and an-
nouncement of the funeral will be
made later.

FUNERAL NOTICES.

Philabaum.—Funeral services of
William Philabaum will be held at
1:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon
from the residence of a son-in-law,
Anthony Hess, 212 Brooklyn ave-
nue, Rev. White officiating.

HAVE GIVEN UP ALL HOPE.

Mrs. A. B. Trentman, who was
stricken with heart failure last even-
ing at 10:30 o'clock, is very low and
all hope of her recovery has been
abandoned. Her attending physi-
cian, Dr. J. M. Dinnen, is authority
for the statement that Mrs. Trent-
man can survive but a very few days
at the outside. Mr. and Mrs. Trent-
man returned from an extended
southern trip a few days ago and
until last night was feeling quite
well. She became ill suddenly last

night at the home of her mother,
Mrs. Helen F. Fleming, and it was
feared that she could not survive
the night. Senator Fleming was no-
tified of his sister's illness and re-
turned home from Indianapolis to-
day.

IRON WORKERS STRIKE.

Pittsburg, Pa., Feb. 27.—The struc-
tural iron workers of the Pittsburg
district, which takes in all points
within a radius of 135 miles of this
city, struck today against an alleged
violation of an agreement on the
part of the American Bridge com-
pany. In Pittsburg 700 skilled and
1,000 unskilled men are out. The
strike will delay work on the Fort
Wayne, Wabash and Tenth
bridges in Pittsburg and will tie up
all structural iron work in the dis-
trict.

MAKE WAGE DEMAND.

Denver, Col., Feb. 27.—A joint
committee of engineers and firemen
employed on the Denver and Rio
Grande system will meet General
Superintendent Coughlin, of that
road, by appointment at 2 o'clock
this afternoon and will formally pre-
sent a demand for an increase of 20
per cent. in wages. Superintendent
Coughlin and the committee of engi-
neers who have been in conference
over a week have settled all minor
grievances and it is stated that the
road has granted a majority of these
requests.

Buy all the heavy clothes you
need tomorrow. Next week we will
offer you nothing but the light
weight goods.

PATTERSON.

Miss Bertha Alexander, of Batson,
O., is visiting Miss Blanch Kruse, of
Cottage avenue.

MR. NELSON MAKES \$250,000 PURCHASE

Traction Manager Returns
From a Quiet Little Shop-
ping Expedition.

S. L. Nelson, general manager of the
Fort Wayne and Southwestern trac-
tion line, returned last evening from a
little shopping expedition to Chicago,
in the course of which he expended
the modest little sum of a quarter of a
million dollars.

The trip was made for the purpose
of purchasing material for the con-
struction of the new interurban line
from Huntington to Marion, as well as
equipment for some of the Illinois
properties of the McKinley syndicate.
The antics of the copper market recent-
ly have kept the traction men in some-
thing of a stew, and Mr. Nelson hur-
ried to Chicago Wednesday evening
to close up some contracts before the
price should reach an altitude which
would be actually prohibitive.

The list of material purchased in-
cluded 700,000 pounds of copper wire,
eighty-four miles of overhead equip-
ment, including hangers, insulators,
etc., 250 miles of high-tension ap-
paratus, 36,000 bond wires and 200,
000 feet of span wire, besides a variety
of other essentials in electric line
building. The bill foots up to some-
thing over \$250,000, but it represents
only about one-half the material pur-
chased in the past two or three weeks
by Mr. Nelson and his associates.

NEW POEM BY KIPLING.

London, Feb. 27.—The Times this
morning publishes a poem by Rud-
yard Kipling in celebration of Mr.

Chamberlain's mission to South Af-
rica. It begins: "Where my fresh-
turned furrows run and the deep soil
glistens red I will repair the wrong
that was done to the living and the
dead."

Michigan Bank Robbed.

Grand Rapids, Mich., Feb. 27.—Two
robbers blew open the safe of Hub-
bard's private bank at Cedar Springs
during the night and secured between
\$4,000 and \$5,000. They obtained ad-
mittance to the bank by means of keys
and then opened the safe with two
charges of dynamite. They stole a
team from Miller's livery stable and
were seen coming toward this city.
This morning the sheriff found the
team loose in the street here. The
robbers have not yet been captured.

IN SERIOUS DANGER.

Grand Haven, Mich., Feb. 27.—Con-
trary to expectations, the ice imprison-
ed fishing steamers Dornbos and Bos
did not reach port last night. The
wind came up strong from the south-
east last night and is now blowing a
gale. The tugs are in the pack four
miles from the harbor and have been
blowing distress signals all morning.
They are believed to be in serious dan-
ger. Steamers are now preparing to
leave the harbor to assist the dis-
tressed vessels.

SEVERE SCALP WOUNDS.

Nicholas Mattes, a Pennsylvania sec-
tion employe, received two deep scalp
wounds upon the left side of his head
Thursday evening when an anglebar
fell upon him. Mattes resides at 1303
Green street.

C. E. Redfox, employed at the east
car shops, sustained a badly bruised
foot last evening. A heavy stringer
fell upon the member. Redfox lives
at 79 Riverside avenue. Both men are
under the care of Dr. C. B. Stemen.

WRITER PERISHES IN HOTEL BLAZE

Sarah F. Kittredge Dies in a
Burning Hostelry at
Lowell, Mass.

Lowell, Mass., Feb. 27.—One per-
son and possibly others lost their
lives in a fire which broke out in the
Burbank block here early today. The
building was used for business,
lodging houses and social purposes,
the street floor containing stores, the
second, third and fourth floors lodg-
ing rooms and the top floor a dance
hall. There were 75 lodgers in the
house when the fire broke out. Re-
ports that lives had been lost were
circulated and contradicted, but when
a search of the ruins was made the
body of Mrs. Sarah F. Kittredge, cor-
respondent of the Ladies' Home Jour-
nal and the Saturday Evening Post
of Philadelphia, and other period-
icals, was found. Later it was report-
ed that four other persons were miss-
ing and search of the ruins was con-
tinued. There were a number of nar-
row escapes and several persons sus-
tained burns and other injuries.

The total financial damage is es-
timated at \$125,000, partly covered by
insurance.

The fire threatened the Belvidere
hotel, which adjoins the Burbank
block, but a heavy fire wall proved
an effective barrier.

The scenes which attended the fire
were of a most exciting character.
The flames were discovered about 3
o'clock. It was known that about 75
persons occupied lodgings in the
block and were asleep in their rooms
on the second, third and fourth
stories, and adjoining the building

was the hotel Belvidere, with a large
number of guests. Although the
most vigorous methods were used to
arouse the inmates of the Burbank
building, only those on the lower
floors got out by the doors and stair-
ways. The others were forced to the
windows, out of which they leaned
and shrieked for help until they were
rescued by the firemen, who were able
to reach them by means of ladders,
before the flames gained control of
the building. It is feared, however,
that a number of occupants of the
rear room perished.

WAIFS WHO ACHIEVED.

The fact that America is still the
land of opportunity is proved by the
latest report of the Children's Aid
society of New York city, recently
made public.

The purpose of this society is to
care for the tiny waifs and strays
of the city's streets and to place them
in family homes in the country.
Last year as many as 55,106 children
were thus provided with homes or
assisted in some other way.

But the most notable feature of
the report is the account of the suc-
cessful careers of the boys who were
given a start in life by the Chil-
dren's Aid society. Many of them,
of course, cannot be traced, but of
those whose record is known two
have become governors, two have
become congressmen, two sheriffs,
three district attorneys, three county
commissioners, and half a dozen
members of state legislatures, says
the New York American.

In the business world 26 became
bankers, 34 lawyers, 22 merchants,
17 physicians, 8 postmasters, 39
railroad men, several being high
officials; 10 real estate agents, 15
journalists, 85 teachers, 21 clergy-
men, and more than 1,000 have en-
tered the army and navy. Five hun-

dred others are in business in lines
not specified.

The total number of children re-
moved from the overcrowded dis-
tricts of New York to healthy homes
in the country was 1,500. In some
cases whole families, parents in-
cluded, were removed from the city.

THE REASON WHY.

A few Scotch farmers had fore-
gathered in the smiddy, and were
discussing curious happenings. "I
mind," says Tammas, "when a loon,
we were felling trees, when a large
spruce fell and split open the croon
o' my heid. I had my snuff-mull in
my han' at the time, an' wi' the pain
I put up my han' to my heid, an' ac-
cidentally drappit the mull intae the
open wound. When the doctor cam'
he sewed it up, leavin' the mull in-
side." "I aye thoct," said Sandy,
"there was a screw loose aboot yer
heid, but it'll just be the snuff-pea
rattlin' inside the mull."

Tomorrow is the last day that you
can buy 50c suspenders for 25c and
25c ones for 12½c.

PATTERSON.

Miss Lillie Pohlmeier is confined
to her home from illness.

A price lowering at Patterson's
that stirs men to action.

Larry Conant, who has been at-
tending the high school for the past
two years, has left for his home in
Tennessee to reside.

Sensational prices at Patterson's.

Miss Alma Bienz, of New Bremen,
O., is here attending the millinery
openings. She is the guest of her
relatives, Mrs. C. C. Meyers and
Mrs. Charles Neubrecht.

BLOOD HUMOURS

Skin Humours, Scalp Humours,
Hair Humours,

Whether Simple Scrofulous or
Hereditary

Speedily Cured by Cuticura
Soap, Ointment and Pills,

When All Other Remedies and
Best Physicians Fail.

COMPLETE TREATMENT, \$1.00.

In the treatment of torturing, disgusting, itching, scaly, crusted, pimply, blotchy and scrofulous humours of the skin, scalp and blood, with loss of hair, Cuticura Soap, Ointment and Pills have been wonderfully successful. Even the most obstinate of constitutional humours, such as bad blood, scrofula, inherited and contagious humours, with loss of hair, glandular swellings, ulcerous patches in the throat and mouth, sore eyes, copper-colored blotches, as well as boils, carbuncles, scurvy, ulcers and sores arising from an impure or impoverished condition of the blood, yield to the Cuticura Treatment, when all other remedies and methods fail.

And greater still, if possible, is the wonderful record of cures of torturing, disgusting humours among infants and children. The suffering which Cuticura Soap and Ointment have alleviated among the young, and the comfort they have afforded worn-out and worried parents, have led to their adoption in countless homes as priceless cures for the skin and blood. Infants and birth humours, milk crust, scall head, eczema, rashes and every form of itching, scaly, pimply skin and scalp humours, with loss of hair of infancy and childhood, are speedily, permanently and economically cured when all other remedies suitable for children, and even the best physicians, fail.



HERPICIDE
Relieves Dandruff
Immediately

and causes thick, glossy hair to supplant the former thin, brittle growth.

How Herpicide
performs its work on the principle: "Destroy the cause, you remove the effect," and consequently it reaches and kills off the ever-busy microbe, which is responsible for all scalp diseases. It thus makes dandruff and falling hair impossible, and promotes a luxuriant growth of hair that soon becomes the pride of the owner. Even on bald spots, it soon produces hair that is thick and luxuriant as anyone could wish for.

One has only to witness that it is the only hair restorer that really restores.

For Sale by all First-Class Drug Stores.

Send 10 cents in stamps for sample. The Herpicide Co., Detroit, Mich. For sale by Fellens & Polster.

TO ALL CATARRH SUFFERERS

HYOMEI GUARANTEED TO CURE
BY MEYER BROS. & CO., OR
MONEY REFUNDED.

The popularity and increase in the sales of Hyomei are unique in the annals of medicine. Such astonishing cures have been made by this remarkable remedy that the proprietors have authorized Meyer Bros. & Co. to sell every package of Hyomei under an absolute guarantee that it will cure catarrh. If it does not the purchaser can have his money refunded by Meyer Bros. & Co.

Hyomei is no ordinary remedy. It is the only method of treatment that sends by direct inhalation to the most remote part of the air passages, a balsamic air that destroys all catarrhal germs in the breathing organs, enriches and purifies the blood with additional ozone and makes permanent and complete cures of catarrh.

The complete Hyomei outfit costs but \$1.00 and consists of a pocket inhaler that can be easily carried in the vest pocket, a medicine dropper and a bottle of Hyomei sufficient for more than a month's treatment.

Breathe through the inhaler for a few minutes four times a day and your catarrh is cured. That's all. If not cured Meyer Bros. & Co. will refund your money.

Dr. Ranke,

FT. WAYNE, IND.
Lau Bk, Calhoun & Washington Sts.
Rooms 12, Hours 9-12, 1-3-4, 7-8
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**EYE, EAR, NOSE,
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Glasses Adjusted.

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Phone 252; residence 1117.

**COSTLY WRECK AT
SOUTH WANATAH**

Nickel Plate Train Runs Into
Monon Train, Piling Up
Ten Cars.

STATEMENT OF FIREMEN

Charge President Ramsey with
Breaking Faith with Them
Many Times.

Nickel Plate train No. 36, eastbound, ran into a freight train on the Monon road at South Wanatah last night and completely blocked both roads. The accident was due to the fog and the slippery condition of the tracks, which prevented a stop, although the usual effort in that direction was made. When it became certain that a collision was going to occur, the engine crew jumped and the next instant the engine tore its way through the Monon train, left the rails, ran a considerable distance on the ties and then stopped in an upright position. Seven of the cars immediately following the locomotive also left the rails and three of the Monon's cars were thrown off the tracks. One of the latter struck a little house in which G. Obinger and his wife were sleeping and the building was torn into fragments. Obinger was slightly injured, but his wife escaped. The derailed cars were more or less broken up and the loss will be considerable. The derailed engine was the No. 123, with Engineer George Dunann at the throttle. Other members of the crew were Conductor M. Deatrick, Flagman Wolf, Brakeman Claybaugh and Fireman A. Viland, all of whom escaped injury.

Will Consider Elkins Law.

A mass meeting of passenger officials of all the railroads in the territory of the Western, Southwestern and Transcontinental associations will be held in Chicago March 5 to consider the new Elkins law in relation to passenger traffic. The executive committee of the Western Passenger association met in Chicago yesterday and agreed that the new law requires them to cut off all concessions and privileges which have been made in the past to influence traffic. The committee deemed it advisable to have all lines fully informed as to the new order of things, and suggested a mass meeting of western passenger officials. Notice of this meeting will be issued today by the chairman of the various associations. The date, selected, March 5, was fixed for the next meeting in Hot Springs of the Western Passenger association, but that meeting has been indefinitely postponed.

HAD ATTACK OF PARALYSIS.

Lawrence Edner, the venerable retired Pittsburg car builder and the father of Wreck Foreman George Ebner, of the Pittsburg, suffered a slight attack of paralysis of the right side yesterday. The sick man is 82 years old.

Scheffer Will Come Here.

General Superintendent J. J. Wood, of the Fort Wayne Electric company, has returned from a most successful trip to Peoria, Ill. The Sentinel mentioned the fact two weeks ago that the

**Sick
Kidneys
Cured
FOR 10 CENTS.**

To demonstrate the virtues of DR. LINDLEY'S GOLDEN KIDNEY CURE, the Wagner Drug Store, 627 Calhoun street, will give you a 25c bottle of this famous remedy for only 10c.

**SATURDAY, FEB. 28
ONE DAY ONLY.**

This is our way of introducing Golden Kidney Cure. One bottle used by one who needs it is worth more to us than many columns of advertising.

We guarantee Golden Kidney Cure to restore healthy action to diseased kidneys in a larger per cent. of cases than any other remedy.

Golden Kidney Cure is the best pocket protector from all ailments of the kidneys.

Remember the day and date, Saturday, Feb. 28—ONE DAY ONLY.

Wagner Drug Store,

H. G. SOMMERS, PROP.,

627 Calhoun St.

N. B.—Persons who are unable to attend this special sale and need such a remedy should send 10 cents to Dr. A. H. Lindley, Hammond, Ind., and secure a bottle by return mail.

MISFORTUNE OF MONEY

Rich People go to Hot Springs, Germany, and Have Special Treatment, but Still Have Their Rheumatism.

We poor people feel sorry for the rich—they won't get something because it's cheap or advertised.

It's high-toned to spend small fortunes, and a luxury to be sick. It's "improper" to be cured at a dollar a bottle, although we have many rich clients, who are sensible and wouldn't be without Athliphoros.

In fact, Athliphoros was originated for a rich man by one of the most famous physicians. It gets at the Uric acid and dispels it. When that is done the Rheumatism is gone. It works every time.

The Uric acid clogs and poisons the blood, disables the body more or less. Athliphoros is as soothing as "oil to a burn," and especially in acute attacks will allow the breadwinner to get back to his work. It saves lots of needless suffering, and makes life worth living. All druggists sell it, or The Athliphoros Co., New Haven, Conn., will send a bottle for one dollar. It is within the reach of everyone and makes health possible to all.

Fort Wayne Electric company was negotiating the purchase of a little meter plant in order that it might get the services of its proprietor, Mr. Scheffer, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Elton J. King, and Mr. Wood completed the deal yesterday. All the machinery of the meter plant will be brought here and placed in the works. A considerable portion of the expert working force of the Peoria plant may also be brought here, but that is a question for the future to decide.

Number of Changes.

Yesterday witnessed a greater change in the personnel of the Wabash shops than any single day of the winter. Henry Lawler, John LaVack, G. W. Shaw, Emmett Pancake and G. Rable, helpers, are new names on the pay rolls. John Yates, O. Summers, Albert Deadrick, Chas. Smith, Henry Kraft, Frank Smith and X. Smith resigned. The two latter will return to Huntington, where Frank Smith will take a position on the Interurban road. Henry Kraft says he will go west, probably to California, and Charles Smith will return to Butler, Ind., to work on the coal docks.

Shipping a Big Motor.

One of the largest motors ever built at the Fort Wayne Electric works was loaded on a car today for shipment to New York. It has a capacity of 250-horse power and is intended for driving the presses and elevators in the office of the New York American and Journal, in New York city. A five-horse power motor sold to the American Clay Working Machinery company left the works this morning for Bucyrus, Ohio.

Industrial Notes.

R. J. Fisher has returned from a successful business trip in the interest of the Bass company.

Conductor Jerro O'Rourke, of the Pennsylvania, has reported for work after an absence on account of sickness.

H. W. Arlin, a tinner at the east shops, was called to Columbia City yesterday to attend the funeral of a relative.

Charles Chaney, a freeman on the Wabash road, was married at Roanoke last week to Miss Imo Burdoin. The couple will reside in Peru.

William R. Connelly, formerly a clerk at the Pittsburg round house, has taken a clerical position at Hotel Hayes, on Calhoun street.

Switchman Perb Davis, of the Pittsburg, who has been off duty on account of the death of a relative, reported for duty this morning.

Passenger engine 1382 and switch engine 192 left the Wabash shops today and freight engine 373 will be turned out of the shops tomorrow.

Mrs. Gable, wife of Philip Gable, a foreman of one of the departments at the Bass foundry, is quite sick at the family residence, 1416 Lillie street.

Peru Journal: "Engineer J. W. Taylor has given up his position on the Wabash and accepted the position of foreman in a large machine shop at Batavia, Ill."

Wabash Engineer L. B. Clark, who was seriously scalded a few weeks ago, is getting along nicely and will soon be well enough to resume work. He lives in Toledo.

C. H. Engle, of Philadelphia, who will put in the lockers in the new round house for the Pittsburg engine men and round house force, is here for that purpose.

Mr. Harrison will pass through the city on Pennsylvania train No. 20 today, in his private car, en route to Philadelphia. He is one of the wealthy sugar manufacturers of this country.

The Bass works have instructions to build two 150-horse power boilers, with stacks and trimmings, for a tile factory in Los Angeles, Cal. The purchaser is the American Clay Working Machinery company of Cleveland, Ohio.

The Pittsburg and Lake Erie is receiving bids for the erection of the new Young Men's Christian association building at McKee's Rocks for railroad employees. The cost of the building will be \$35,000.

A bill aiming to create a board of telegraph operators, who shall examine all telegraphers before they are given a position on a railroad, has been introduced in the Missouri legislature.

F. J. Rosenberger, of the Pittsburg smith shop, who reported for duty yesterday, soon found that he was not strong enough to work and he had to return home, where he will probably stay several days. Mr. Rosenberger has been sick a month.

General Superintendent Wentz, of the Choctaw railroad system, has issued an order dispensing with news agents on the trains. The company will establish news stands at all stations of importance on its line.

Thomas Bell, the oldest engineer in Canada, died on Monday, aged 82 years. He began running an engine on the Glasgow division of the Caledonian railway in 1844 and came to Canada in 1855, taking employment with the Grand Trunk.

Wabash freight train No. 69 broke in two at Marshfield Wednesday night and in the collision of the two parts several cars were derailed and more or less damage done. Brakeman J. H. Carpenter was injured and is now in the company's hospital at Peru.

Charles Keller, the man who was hurt while assisting in clearing the Nickel Plate tracks of wreckage at Arcadia, is at his home in Bellevue and is getting along nicely. His right leg was broken above the knee and three of his teeth were knocked out.

F. A. Bowman, a conductor on the Calumet Terminal road at Chicago, is stopping with his daughter, Mrs. John Hughes. Mr. Bowman is a son-in-law of Jacob Mock, the Adams township farmer whose death was mentioned yesterday, and he came here to attend the funeral.

Clinton Willson, guardian of the Misses Owen, daughter of W. R. Owen, who died on February 5, last evening received a draft for \$3,000 in payment of the life policy held by their father in the National Union. Mr. Owen was tuner at the Packard organ and piano works.

Motive Power Superintendent J. B. Barnes, who has been in the city a couple of days, will return to Springfield tomorrow. Yesterday Mr. Barnes turned the matter of preparing the ground for his new building over to Contractor Mollet, who will endeavor to get permission of the tenants to commence the excavation of the cellar in the lots at the rear of the present buildings. The leases on the property expire in March.

Machinist B. W. Fitzpatrick, of the Pittsburg, received a cut in his forehead yesterday by a blow from a sledge in the hands of his working mate. Charlie McElpatrick had a leg and foot injured yesterday by a plank falling upon him. Nicholas Miller fell into a pit at the Pennsylvania power plant yesterday and sustained some bruises and cuts on the head and shoulders. He was taken to his home on Hanna street, where Dr. R. P. White is attending him.

Business men at Grand Rapids and Detroit are indignant because the Michigan Passenger association refused to grant special rates to any city in the state of Michigan for trade excursions. The wholesalers' committee of the Grand Rapids board of trade wanted to run excursions March 2 and 14, but Passenger Agent Lockwood, of the Grand Rapids and Indiana road, said that if Detroit and Grand Rapids secured a special rate under recent legislation other cities would have to be granted the same privileges.

Oscar B. Johnson, whose retirement from the position of chief claim clerk in the Pennsylvania freight house was mentioned a few days ago, will have the title of special investigator of claims of shortage and damages to goods while in the hands of the transportation department. He will have headquarters in Pittsburg and his jurisdiction will include all the Pennsylvania lines west of Pittsburg. This promotion carries with it a substantial increase in salary, which is well merited. Mr. Johnson entered the service of the company in 1891 and by strict attention to the duties assigned him, worked his way through a series of promotions, gaining the confidence of the officials in the meantime. The family will remain here until the end of the winter, when they will join Mr. Johnson in Pittsburg.

Firemen Issue Letter.

Peru, Ind., Feb. 3.—The Brotherhood of Firemen of the eastern division of the Wabash have issued the following statement in answer to President Ramsey's interviews and circulars:

"To the Public—As the Wabash Railroad company has given out its side of the story in connection with the grievances between President Ramsey and the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen, we deem it just to explain the true situation as we have it. Four years ago we sent a committee to St. Louis to meet President Ramsey in regard to adjusting the existing differences. They remained forty-eight days at St. Louis before meeting President Ramsey, and when they met he promised to adjust everything satisfactorily, which brought the committee home fully convinced that President Ramsey would do what was right. He issued bulletins from time to time in our favor, but none was ever lived up to. Two years ago we again sent a committee to St. Louis with the same grievances, and again he promised to adjust them, and again issued bulletins in our favor, and again they were ignored.

This time we sent a committee to St. Louis, not only to ask him to adjust those grievances, but to sign a contract between himself and us, as other roads do, so we would be assured that they would be lived up to. Now he has issued bulletins and offers more

**Chamberlain's
Cough Remedy**

This preparation is intended especially for coughs, colds, croup, whooping cough and influenza and has become famous for its cures of these diseases over a large part of the civilized world.

It can always be depended upon and is pleasant to take.

It not only cures colds and influenza, (grip) but counteracts any tendency toward pneumonia.

It contains no opium or other harmful substance and may be given to a baby as confidently as to an adult.

than we ask, but flatly refuses to enter upon a contract with us. On the 9th of this month he promised to sign a contract, but when the date came he flatly refused to sign anything.

"To show that the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen are not in favor of a strike, we will call your attention to the fact that we went to St. Louis on the 14th of November, prolonged our stay purposely to give President Ramsey every opportunity to settle peacefully, having had the advantage, which he admitted on several occasions during the early part of the winter. If things do not go as smoothly as we expect them, we don't want anyone to say that it was a hasty step on our part. To show that our demands are just we can show you young and vigorous men that fired these monster engines and did all work connected with them that are now mere skeletons of their former selves, and their lives are almost cut in two.

"Committee B. of L. F."

DISAGREE AS TO GAMBLING.

Olympia, Wash., Feb. 27.—The senate had one of the liveliest debates of the session over the house bill declaring the conduct of gambling resorts a felony. The bill was finally passed with amendment, making the scope even greater than when introduced.

Helena, Mont., Feb. 27.—The house of representatives, in committee of the whole, has passed the bill licensing gambling and making it a local option measure in small communities. For eight years gambling has been a felony in Montana.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of *Chas. H. Pott*

All Winter Caps in the Store

Half Price Until Saturday Night.
\$1.50 Caps go at 75c
\$1.00 Caps go at 50c
\$.50 Caps go at 25c
AT PATTERSON'S.

We sell the Columbia Dry Battery at 35c. Why not have the best?

The Edmunds Electric Construction Co. 2-21-12t

MEN'S SUITS

Half Price Until Saturday Night.

\$25.00 Suits go at \$12.50
\$20.00 Suits go at \$10.00
\$10.00 Suits go at \$ 5.00
\$ 5.00 Suits go at \$ 2.50
AT PATTERSON'S.

"A BEAUTIFUL LIFE."

All subscribers to The Sentinel can have a copy of the book "A Beautiful Life" for 50c by calling at this office. Better call at once, as the supply is limited. 27-tf

Need pants? To work in, or dress up in? We have all kinds and you can save from 20c to \$1.80 on every pair bought before Saturday night. PATTERSON.

H. H. Haines is at home from a business trip of ten days through the northern part of the state.

MASONIC TEMPLE

MONDAY, MARCH 9,

CHARLES FROHMAN
Presents

Mrs. Patrick Campbell
and her London company in Suder-
mann's great play,

"The Joy
of Living"

translated from "Es Lebe das Leben."

Prices for this engagement—50c,
\$1, \$1.50, \$2 and \$2.50. Reser-
vations can now be made.

The Best
PLACE TO BUY
**WASHERS
AND
RINGERS**
IS AT

**C. C. SCHLATTER
& CO.'S
HARDWARE**
Cor. Columbia and Clinton Sts.

WAYNE
904 CALHOUN ST.
DRY GOODS CO.
Formerly of the Old Retail Store of Geo. DeWald & Co.

Handsome Goods

Our New Stock of White Goods
and Wash Fabrics All In.

It is not only an extensive line, but one in which you will find the most beautiful patterns and qualities ever displayed in this city. It is somewhat risky to assert that the style and finish of the goods this season surpass those of last year, but it is certainly true. The best way to demonstrate this, however, is by an inspection for yourself.

You will find this especially true of the many elegant mercerized effects.

Madras Cloths, Oxfords, Piques, Mulls, Ginghams, Ettamines and the innumerable Cotton Novelties which come under this head are simply beautiful.

Our stock of Plain and Dotted Swisses, French Lawns, Batiste, Long Cloths, Cambrics, Linen de Indies, Etc., bought at old prices and marked low.

Embroideries.

Our well-known embroideries, so popular because of their perfection of quality and beauty of pattern, we show in larger assortment than ever in Hamburg, Cambric, Nainsook, Swiss Edges and Insertings, Matched Patterns, Beadings, Medallions and Allovers.

Wayne Dry Goods Co.

904 Calhoun Street--Old No. 96.

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OIL
VARNISH**

**H. PFEIFFER & SON,
HARDWARE.**
109 EAST COLUMBIA ST.

The Rurode DRY GOODS CO.

THIS IS THE STORE

WHERE YOU FIND THE BEST MERCHANDISE. YOU ARE SERVED IN THE BEST POSSIBLE MANNER. THE SHOWING OF NEW GOODS FOR SPRING IS BEYOND COMPARE, AND AS LARGE BUYING BRINGS PRICE ADVANTAGES, YOU PAY THE LOWEST PRICES HERE CONSISTENT WITH GOOD QUALITY AND LASTING SATISFACTION.

The New Dress Goods

IN SILK AND WOOL, ARE ATTRACTING UNUSUAL ATTENTION. OUR COLLECTION EMBRACES EVERY NEW FABRIC AND COLOR THAT IS STYLISH AND DESIRABLE. WE CANNOT DESCRIBE THE FULL BEAUTY OF OUR STOCK, COME AND SEE.

Our Great Array

OF WASH DRESS GOODS IS NOW READY FOR YOUR INSPECTION. LARGER THAN EVER BEFORE, MORE BEAUTY AND VARIETY AND ECONOMICALLY PRICED.

Every Department

IN THE STORE IS BRIGHT WITH NEW SPRING GOODS. OF SPECIAL INTEREST JUST NOW IS THE SHOWING OF WHITE GOODS, LACES, EMBROIDERIES, MUSLIN UNDERWEAR AND THE NEW SPRING STYLES IN SUITS, SILK AND COTTON WAISTS AND SKIRTS.

A Treat for Our Patrons

THE PASSION PLAY.

WE HAVE ARRANGED FOR AN EXACT REPRODUCTION OF THE PASSION PLAY AS GIVEN BY THE PEASANTS OF OBERAMMERGAU, AN EXHIBITION THAT FOR YEARS HAS DRAWN TO THAT LITTLE PICTURESQUE TOWN VISITORS FROM ALL OVER THE WORLD. AN EXHIBITION, INSTRUCTIVE, ATTRACTIVE AND MORAL. A FREE TICKET WILL BE GIVEN WITH EVERY PURCHASE OF 500 OR MORE.

The Rurode Dry Goods Co.

THE LAST TIME!

FRANK H. HILGEMANN'S Big Offer

With Cash Checks.

Cut Out this "ad" and
Return to Store

Before March 1, '93.

To anyone trading \$50.00 worth at my store within six months I will give a two-compartment IDEAL STEAM COOKER.

To anyone trading \$100.00 worth at my store within the next six months I will give a FOUR-compartment STEAM COOKER.

Remember, if you do not trade the full amount required to get a Cooker your CASH CHECKS. The best Premium Plan in the city. Cut out this ad., send it in and begin now. You can't make a mistake trading with us, as our prices are always very low.

The accompanying cuts show exactly what the Ideal Steam Cooker is, also what it will do. It is pronounced by everybody that has ever used one to be the most USEFUL, CONVENIENT and MOST ECONOMICAL kitchen utensil ever invented. It saves women that arduous duty of standing over a hot stove in the summer time; it stops all of that fretting when the gas is low in the winter time, as it requires VERY little fuel to operate it. It will cook at one time, over one little burner in a HOT PLATE STOVE, Roast Beef and Potatoes, Onions, Carrots, Turnips, Pumpkins, Squash, Clams, Oysters, Lobsters, Fish, Sweet Corn on the ear, Green Beans, Green Peas, Cauliflower, Bread Pudding, Suet Pudding, etc., etc. In fact, it will cook anything and everything a family may want in the summer or winter. For canning fruit it has NO EQUAL. An Ideal Cooker will stop all of that sweating and worrying over hot kettles of fruit.

Call Saturday. We will have one in operation. Remember, you get them absolutely FREE with our Cash Check system, the BEST Premium Plan in the city. The time to begin to save these Checks is NOW—the EVER PRESENT, and before you know it you will have enough Checks to get a Cooker.

Don't fail to cut out this ad., as it will appear only three times in this paper, and return it to the store with your name signed in the space below.

MRS. _____ Street.

This is done so I may know exactly how many Cookers to figure on. You cannot get one unless you send in this ad.

FRANK H. HILGEMANN 405 WEST JEFFERSON ST. The Popular Priced Cash Grocer.

ETNA LIFE INSURANCE CO.,
HARTFORD, CONN.
Commenced Business in 1820
General Offices 40 Counties in
Indiana. 132 E. Berry St.
CHARLES W. ORR, Mgr.

No Money Down.
Clothing on Credit for Both
Sexes.
Menter, Rosenbloom & Co.,
921 CALHOUN STREET.

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FRIDAY, FEB. 27, 1903.

OUR TELEPHONES

Editorial Rooms..... 650
Business Office..... 173

THE WEATHER

Chicago, Feb. 27.—Forecast for Indiana: Partly cloudy tonight and Saturday, with showers in north portion, probably turning to snow Sunday; colder; high southerly, shifting to northwest, winds Saturday.

CITY BRIEVITIES.

C. S. Bash is at Indianapolis on a business trip.

Judge Drebbeliss is at Huntington on a business trip.

George F. Mug, of Lafayette, is in the city on business.

Thomas H. Young, of Paulding, O., is visiting friends in the city. Mr. Young is a traveling salesman and contemplates removing to Fort Wayne shortly.

Mrs. Grace E. Williams, of West Williams street, gave a tea yesterday afternoon in honor of Mrs. John Sarver, who is in the city visiting her son, B. F. Sarver.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Myers, of South Harrison street, entertained the South End Whist club at their home on South Harrison street last evening in honor of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Meek. Prizes were won by Sherman Archer and W. A. Collier.

The General Culture club met Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. R. C. Houck, 242 East Pontiac street. The entire time of the meeting was devoted to a study of the last act of Julius Caesar, with Mrs. A. E. Houck as leader. The club will hold its next meeting with Mrs. S. E. Hamlet, 229 Pontiac street, Thursday, when the study of "Antony and Cleopatra" will be taken up.

TO BUILD NEW STOREROOM.

Moellering & Co. yesterday received bids for the construction of a storeroom on Murray street, the building to be 40x100 feet in dimensions. Herman Breimeier was the low bidder for the brick work and David Illiff was the low bidder for the carpenter work.

STRAWBERRIES, PINEAPPLES, ORANGES AND FRESH VEGETABLES.

Ripe Florida Strawberries, 45c qt. Extra Large Pineapples, 30c each. Extra Large Navel Oranges, 40c doz.

Extra Large Florida Oranges, 30c doz.

Fancy Wax Lemons, 20c dozen.

Fresh Malaga Grapes, 15c lb.

Fancy California Celery, 8c stalk.

Nice Drawn Chickens, 14c lb.

We will also receive tomorrow morning Ripe Florida Tomatoes, Large Green Cucumbers, Fine Head Lettuce, Grand Rapids Lettuce, Cauliflower, New Beets, Asparagus, Cincinnati Spinach, Oyster Plant, Radishes and Young Onions.

WHITE FRUIT HOUSE.

Take an overcoat tomorrow at half price if you want it. If there are any left Monday—we shall pack them away.

PATTERSON.

SPECIAL UMBRELLA SALE.

Just received 1,000 Umbrellas of the newest and latest styles and fancy handles.

250 Ladies' Umbrellas, usual price 75c to \$1.00 each; special at 59c each.

100 Children's Umbrellas, usual price 50c each; special at 35c each.

100 Boys' Umbrellas, usual price 50c to 75c each; special 45c each.

100 Men's Umbrellas, "extra large size," usual price \$1.00 each; special at 75c each.

Now is the time to purchase an Umbrella cheap. Don't miss this sale.

WHITE FRUIT HOUSE.

Buy your black suit tomorrow—the last day of Patterson's great sale.

Bloomington Buyers Heinys Grocery Cor. Wells and 2d. Street

Tomorrow we will have Butter that we bought of a farmer who uses a cream separator in churning it.

Also Strictly Fresh Eggs.
Clean washed and scraped Parsnips.

Kiln dried Sweet Potatoes.
Solid Heads nice White Cabbage.

Fresh Grand Rapids Lettuce.
Large stalks California Celery.

Nice Ripe Jumbo Bananas.
California Navel Oranges.

Bahama Pine Apples.
Fresh Baltimore Oysters.

Young Dressed Chickens.
Have more Michigan Potatoes, 60c.

All Fancy Knee Pants Suits

Half price until Saturday night.
\$10.00 Knee Pants go at \$5.00.

\$5.00 Knee Pants go at \$2.50.
\$2.50 Knee Pants go at \$1.25.

AT PATTERSON'S.

SATURDAY SALE!

Silk Bargains for All Fort Wayne

Foulard Silks, in shades of red and black, worth 75c, tomorrow 35c.

Surah Silks, in all shades, 27c a yd. Satins, all shades, 35c a yd.

Moiré Silks, in shades of rose and gray, 45c, worth double.

New Wash Silks, suitable for shirt waists suits, 40c, very special.

Silk remnants close out at half price.

MUSLIN UNDERWEAR SALE.

Ladies' Muslin Drawers and Corset Covers, 25c each.

Ladies' lace-trimmed Gowns, hem-stitched and tucked, 48c each.

Ladies' lace-trimmed Skirts, tucked, at \$1.25, worth \$2.

Closing out our entire stock of Ladies' Golf Gloves.

50c Golf Gloves sell for 35c.

35c Golf Gloves sell for 20c.

25c Golf Gloves sell for 16½c.

LINEN SALE TOMORROW.

Extraordinary bargains in Towels, Napkins and Linen Sets.

One lot of Linens, slightly soiled, at less than half price and cost.

500 pieces of Point D'Paris Lace offered tomorrow from 3 distinct lots for 8c, 10c and 12½c a yard, worth double.

Grand Opening of Ladies' Tailor-Made Suits.

All the new styles for the spring and summer season. Prices reasonable.

Sale on Ladies' Shirt Waists.—Ladies' White Pique Waists, with black dots, worth \$1.25 and \$1.50, special tomorrow 98c.

One lot Black Taffeta Silk Waists, worth \$6 and \$6.50, sale tomorrow \$4.48.

One lot Black Taffeta Silk Waists, worth \$4 and \$4.50, sale tomorrow \$2.89.

THE FRANK DRY GOODS CO.

AT THE CENTRAL GROCERY.

Fat, Young, Dressed Chickens, 15c.

All kinds of Fresh Vegetables.

Fancy Jersey Sweet Potatoes, 40c peck.

Best Cape Cod Cranberries, 11c qt.

Large Navel Oranges, 20c and 30c doz.

Strictly Fresh Eggs, 18c doz.

Best Country Roll Butter, 25c lb.

Medium Size Picnic Hams, 11½c.

Best Sugar Cured Hams, 14c lb.

Fancy Breakfast Bacon, 16c lb.

Wisconsin Swiss Cheese, 17c lb.

Mild N. Y. Cream Cheese, 16c lb.

Wisconsin Brick Cheese, 16c lb.

Best Limburg Cheese, 15c lb.

FREIBURGER & MICHEL.

If you tire of buckwheat, try Mrs. Austin's famous Pancake Flour for a change. Made from the great food cereals. 25¢

MONEY TO LOAN

On real estate or personal property. C. E. Pfeiffer, rooms 6-7 Bass Block.

A HOSIERY DRIVE

FOR TO-MORROW
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We will run tomorrow a Hermsdorf Dyed Ladies' Stocking, sizes 5 to 10. A special quality, made to retail at 33 1-3c a pair, 3 pairs for 75c, put up in separate boxes, 3 pairs each.

FORGET

Anything else—but don't forget that tomorrow is the last day of Patterson's great half price sale.

Being obliged to move from my present quarters, I offer my entire stock of music, etc., at cost price. You can save money if you buy now.

H. F. HONECK,
1010 Calhoun Street.

CARD OF THANKS.

We desire to extend our sincere thanks to friends and neighbors for the many kindnesses shown us during the sickness and death of John G. Weller.

MRS. LOUISE WELLER AND FAMILY.

All men's and boys' stiff bosom colored shirts go at half price tomorrow.

PATTERSON.

MAKES CHANGE IN ROUTE.

The establishing of a new free rural mail delivery out of Garrett, to become effective April 1, makes a change in route No. 8 from the Fort Wayne postoffice. Two miles of territory along the Allen-DeKalb county line are taken from the Fort Wayne route and added to the Garrett line, while the Fort Wayne carrier will cover new territory of equal length.

Miss Agnes Vevia, of 1105 Grant avenue, entertained the members of the Summit club at Pedro last evening. The club will hold its next meeting with Miss Lula Meyers, of Oakley street.

FILE AN OBJECTION.

C. C. Schlatter & Co., of this city, and Standart Bros., of Goshen, have filed in the United States court here an objection to the discharge in bankruptcy of Eugene A. Carver, of Angola, which is to come up before Judge Anderson at Indianapolis tomorrow. The above firms are creditors of Mr. Carver, who was formerly a hardware merchant, and they allege various irregularities as an objection to his discharge from financial obligations.

C. P. SWAIN OPERATED ON.

Yesterday at Hope hospital Carl P. Swain, who has long been ill, was operated on for the removal of an abscess from the kidneys. The operation was performed by Drs. Deming, Kuhl, Ross and Morgan. At last accounts the patient was resting easily and the operation promises to prove a successful one.

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Corn Krisp 14c
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Shredded Wheat 12c
Postum Cereal 12c
Fox's Crackers, per lb. 7c
Rolled Oats, per lb. 3½c
Tapioca, per lb. 5c
Macaroni, per lb. 5c
Yeast Foam, package 4c
Hand-picked Beans, qt. 7c
Good Young Hyson Tea 25 and 30c
Tea Dust, lb. 14c
Loose Roasted Coffee, lb. 8c
Gallon can Peaches 25c
Granulated Sugar 3c
Globe and Gloss Soap 3½c
Old Mill Soap 3c
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O'Clock, Pearlina 4c
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Best Corn Meal 8c sk

Michigan Potatoes 5c bu

Lyon Coffee 10c lb

Fine Large Bananas 15c doz

Fine Large Oranges 13c doz

Gloss & Globe Soap 3½c bar

Good Prunes 4c lb

Extra Fine Roll Oats 3½c lb

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89 cts. will buy a \$1.25 Ladies' fleece-lined Wrapper at the Boston Store tomorrow.

A lot of Children's Hose, all sizes, at 10 cts., worth 12½ and 15 cts.

A lot of Ladies' fancy Hose at 12½ cts., worth 20 cts.

A line of Ladies' black Undershirts at \$1.00, worth \$1.50.

A line of black figured Dress Goods at 25 cts., worth 35 cts.

45-inch all-wool black figured Dress Goods at 50 cts., worth 75 cts.

A LOT OF SEERSUCKER GINGHAMS AT 5 CTS. TOMORROW, WORTH 7 CTS.

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